

HITS AT B. R. T. FOR GOSLIN

Ex-Gov. Black Checked
in Effort to Learn
Company's Secrets.

When the trial of Alfred H. Goslin, Eugene L. Packard, Henry Bogert and Charles T. Davis for conspiracy in connection with the bear raid on Brooklyn Rapid Transit stock last year was resumed before Justice Furman in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court today Secretary Timothy Williams, of the railroad company, took the witness stand.

Mr. Williams testified for the prosecution yesterday that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company was in good financial condition at the time the rumors were spread to the effect that the company was about to go into the hands of a receiver. To controvert this testimony this morning Col. Robert A. Ammon, Ex-Gov. Black and Frederick Bard counsel for the defendants, sought to prove otherwise.

Mr. Bard cross-examined Mr. Williams, who reiterated the statement that the company was in good standing at the time it was attacked last December, and that it had always paid its fixed charges and the interest on its bonds.

"Did not all the companies that comprise the Brooklyn Rapid Transit show a deficit the year before your company

MAN AND WOMAN DIED FOR LOVE.

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MARIE DURAN.

WAS IT MURDER?

Corner Patrick at 1 o'clock this afternoon gave out the following statement after he had completed his examination of the dead bodies and the location in which they were found:

"There is no doubt in my mind that the man shot the woman. I am positive of this from the way the bullet entered the woman's head. The man apparently waited until the woman fell asleep. Then he leaned over from the opposite side of the bed, placed the

SEPARATION, NOT DEATH, FEARED.

"It is not death we fear; it is separation. It is the lot of friends to part. We have made the most of our lives during our short acquaintance. Good-by."

met against his right temple and fired. This is borne out by the fact that I could find no powder stains on the woman's fingers, while the man's were blacked.

"I found the woman lying on her right side. The man was lying on his left side. The whole right side of her face was discolored. There was an ugly wound where the bullet entered, close to the eye. There was an evidence of a struggle on the part of the woman, and her attitude was natural. Her right hand rested on her breast, her left lay by her side. The pillow showed marks of powder.

"The woman was dressed in a black cloth skirt, out in the latest fashion. She wore a white silk shirt waist, black open-work stockings and oxford ties. Her hair was done up.

HAD ONLY SIX CENTS.

"She was a very handsome girl with fine features. In the dresser was half a glass of wine. On a table were two bottles of ale and two vials. The key to the man's valves was found. It contained nothing but some old clothes. The woman's valves was new and evidently contained something very heavy. No key was found to her bag.

"In the man's pockets were found only six cents, a pawn ticket for a pair of diamonds, one watch had received, in a few weeks ago. A bill for board, food and drink was found on the dresser. This was the bill:

Board, seven days \$1.00
Laundry, seven days 1.00
Meals and drinks 14.25
Total \$16.25

"A note book found in the man's pocket showed that he had recently made a trip to the West. A telegram dated Harrisburg was also found.

"The revolver was fully loaded with the exception of two cartridges. The man was dressed in a blue serge suit, black tie and a striped shirt. He was evidently double the age of the woman."

The coroner believes that the couple had been dead eight or nine hours before discovery. They had taken their last meal in the room, and had eaten heartily.

Only a bit of cheese and toasted crackers remained of their final repast.

THEIR CALLERS.

The hotel proprietor said that the man and woman first came to the hotel about sixteen months ago. They were there the last time about three months ago. Each time they remained some days. They were quiet people and gave no trouble at all. He said that they used to have visitors once in a while, one coming about forty-five years of age, calling every second day. He does not know who she is.

The dead man is a brother of Augustus Koch, the leading restaurateur of Hartford.

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CAMMEYER'S SHOE STORE

Early Summer Sales
In Our Basement.

Let it be remembered that between our Great Special Sales we keep always in our basement full lines of shoes for men, women and children.

AT BARGAIN PRICES.

Parents can at any time be sure of finding just what they may want for themselves and for their sons and daughters.

Our Basement is a complete store within itself. Its arrangement is such as to give the utmost comfort to purchasers, and the salespeople are prompt, courteous, familiar with the stock, patient and painstaking.



Balance of the 20,000 Pairs of Men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 Russia Calf, Black and Russet Kid Lace Shoes, Welt Soles, \$2.00 Per Pair.

Women's \$2.50 Russet and Black Kid Oxford Ties, \$1.50 Per Pair.

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Children's Black Kid Button and Lace Shoes, sizes 6 to 10 1/2, .75 Per Pair.

Misses' Black Kid Button and Lace Shoes, sizes 11 to 2, 1.00 Per Pair.

Misses' Large Size Russet and Black Kid Button and Lace, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, 1.25 Per Pair.

Little Girls' Russia Calf Lace Shoes, sizes 9 to 13 1/4, 1.00 Per Pair.

Youths' Russia Calf Lace Shoes, sizes 11 to 2, 1.25 Per Pair.

Boys' Russia Calf Lace Shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, 1.50 Per Pair.

OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK.

ALFRED J. CAMMEYER, 6th Ave., cor. 20th St.

affairs in very bad shape, and Deputy Sheriff Chapman has been in charge of the Parsons Theatre since he left.

"The last seen of Koch was six weeks ago last night. He was around his home for some time during the night and later, in company with a young woman whose name was unknown, took the 1 o'clock train, leaving the train with his companion at New Haven.

"Koch left about \$2.00, and it is understood that when he went away

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The Wanamaker Store

Here is the Most Remarkable SHOE NEWS of the Sale!

A Pre-Holiday offering that should stir up every thrifty shoe wearer within reach of Manhattan. This invitation to men:

Choose any pair of Tan Shoes in our regular stock (except the sporting shoes) for \$2.85!

These are the best shoes in New York. The leathers include sealskin, French kid, willow calf, kidskin and Russia leather. The soles are of oak-tanned leather only. All are either Goodyear or hand-sewed, and the styles are the most select of this present season. Prices have been \$3, \$3.90, \$5 and \$7. All at \$2.85 to-morrow. These in the Main Floor Shoe Store.

That is news to appeal to every man who likes shoes made up to the highest possibilities of fine leather and best workmanship. But here are shoes for all the family—all new, stylish, well-made shoes,

A Third to Half Under Price

and sizes somewhere for all.

Men's \$3 to \$5 Shoes at \$1.90—

The \$3 shoes are mostly narrow widths, but you can find all widths in the \$3 and \$4 qualities; extra fine tan Russia and willow calf and kid, black velvet calf and kid, and patent leather; welted soles of summer weight and styles. These are not old and ends or out-of-date lines, but fresh new goods just from famous factories.

Children's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes at 75c—

500 pairs of black sealskin spring heel shoes, with solid leather soles and patent leather tips; stylish and durable; sizes 6 children's to 2 misses'.

Men's Black Shoes at \$1.20—

Calf and kid lace, with solid soles, the popular lasts and sizes; values up to \$3.

Women's Black Shoes at \$1.35—

Now first shown; sealskin, lace and button, with kid tips; worth \$2.50.

Formerly A. T. JOHN WANAMAKER

Stewart & Co. Broadway, 4th ave. 9th & 10th Sts.

25th St. & 3d Ave.

SALE OF TRUNKS

Beginning Saturday, June 30th.

The goods offered during this sale are of exceptional value, each trunk being of first quality from box to fittings and the workmanship the best obtainable.

Canvas Covered Trunk, with iron bottom and iron round, Brass Locks and Hardware Slats.

28 in. 30 in. 32 in. 34 in. 1.74 1.99 2.30 2.59

36 in. 38 in. 40 in. 2.88 3.19 3.49

Water-Proofed Canvas Covered Trunk, with Brass Excelsior Lock, Brass Trimmings, closely nailed and heavy Hardware Slats.

28 in. 30 in. 32 in. 34 in. 3.28 3.59 3.98 4.24

36 in. 38 in. 40 in. 4.59 4.89 5.24

Water-Proofed Canvas Covered Trunk, with Brass Excelsior Lock, cloth lined, two trays and extra heavy malleable iron trimmings.

28 in. 30 in. 32 in. 34 in. 4.07 4.38 4.69 4.99

36 in. 38 in. 40 in. 5.33 5.63 5.94

Water-Proofed Canvas Covered Steamer Trunk, with Brass Excelsior Lock, Brass Trimmings and Extra Hardware Slats.

28 in. 30 in. 32 in. 34 in. 3.34 3.67 3.99 4.34

36 in. 38 in. 40 in. 4.67 4.99 5.34

125th St. & 3d Ave.

tempt to die.

She was removed to Bellevue Hospital in a critical condition.

WIDOW KILLS HERSELF.

Rich Mrs. Annette Harney, of Yonkers, Swallowed Chloroform.

Mrs. Annette Harney, a rich widow, forty-five years old, killed herself in her rooms at 31 East Twenty-fifth street this morning by drinking chloroform.

Mrs. Harney came to the house a few days ago from Yonkers.

She complained of feeling ill yesterday. This morning when the maid brought her her coffee she was found dead in bed.

A bottle which had contained chloroform lay under the bed.

Mrs. Harney's estate is in charge of Judge Leonard, 34 Broadway.

GIRL'S SUICIDE AT SEA.

Pretty May Kuenzie Jumped Overboard on Eve of Her Marriage.

The woman who committed suicide by jumping overboard from the steamer Georgia in Chesapeake Bay on Wednesday night was probably Mary Kuenzie, the pretty, blue-eyed daughter of Anton Kuenzie, of 36 K-norn street, New ark, N. J.

She left home Wednesday morning after a quarrel with her father over her intended marriage. This letter was received by Kuenzie, postmarked Baltimore:

"You will never see me again. I have engaged passage on the steamer to Norfolk. I will never end that journey, and I am going to drown myself by jumping overboard."

She thought she had succeeded, and left her residence, 51 Third avenue, for her home last night. While she was on the way to the depot Mrs. Albert drank the poison. An ambulance surgeon from Bellevue saved her life.

SHE TRIED TO DIE IN VAIN.

Poverty Drove Mrs. Sarah Schreck to Attempt Her Life by Arsenic.

Mrs. Sarah Schreck, twenty-seven years old, of 71 Margin street, tried to kill herself this morning with arsenic. The woman lived on the third floor, with her husband, a pantomaker, and six children. Poverty drove her to attempt to die.

The police of the East Fifty-first street station say that it was an attempt at suicide.

According to Officer Webb, of the East Fifty-first street station, he was standing at the corner near the house when a woman ran out and told him that another woman in the house was trying to kill herself by inhaling illuminating gas.

In a room on the third floor he saw lying on the floor a woman partially dressed. One end of a tube was in her



CHARLES KOCH

acquired them?" Mr. Williams was asked.

"Only one of them," was the reply. "That was the Nassau Company. It showed a deficit of \$100,000."

"Was not one of the companies in the hands of a receiver?"

"Yes, sir."

Ex-Gov. Black and Frederick Bard, of counsel for the defendants, were prevented by the Court going into the source of revenue of the B. R. T., its liabilities and their character.

Ex-Gov. Black suggested to the Court that, inasmuch as Mr. Williams had testified on his direct examination that the company's assets exceeded its liabilities, it was the privilege of the defense to prove that those assets were not good, and that in value the securities were greater than the true value of the assets.

Justice Furman, however, refused to allow any questions on this point.

In his opening address ex-Gov. Black, for the defense, said that he would prove that all the statements alleged to have been made by the defendant concerning the B. R. T. were true.

The first witness for the defense called was Peter Lingo, a member of the Nassau Tax Commission. Mr. Lingo produced the record of his office concerning the assessed valuation of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit, the statement that under the Fort Tax Franchise and the property of the company was assessed at \$100,000.

J. Overton Paine, the broker, through whom the attack on Brooklyn Rapid Transit was made on the floor of the Stock Exchange, was also called by the defense. Mr. Paine told the jury how he had operated in the stock. He admitted that his profits in the transaction had been very large.

Were you influenced in your transactions by certain advertisements? Mr. Bard asked Mr. Paine.

"I was not. I knew what the advertisements contained was in a measure true."

"Had you any dependence on the stock?"

"No. As early as the summer of 1919 I heard rumors concerning the stock and advised my clients to sell."

"Did you hear rumors about the company going into the hands of a receiver?"

"Yes, sir, frequently. I heard about it."

In reply to another question Mr. Paine said that on Monday last B. R. T. stock fell to the point he predicted it would, having gone down 16 points within a week.

William L. Cuthbert, an expert accountant, testified that he had examined and made a summary of the official reports made by the Brooklyn Heights Railroad system for the State Railroad Commission. Mr. Cuthbert swore that the B. R. T. had operated at a loss during the last nine months of the fiscal year.

An adjournment was taken until Monday.

HEAT CAUSED SUICIDE.

George Meyerhofer Hanged Himself at His Home to Escape the Terrible Heat.

George J. Meyerhofer, sixty-nine years old, a German, living on Second avenue, between Avenues A and B, Unionsport, hanged himself at his residence late last night. The body was discovered by the police.

Meyerhofer had suffered from the

were only his trousers and an outing shirt.

The absence of any trace of a struggle either before or after the shooting was apparent.

UNPAID BILL.

On the dresser beside the notes left by the suicides was a bill for \$12.50 from the hotel for room rent and meals.

Professor Henry Marken had sent it.

CONFESSON AT DEATH'S PORTALS.

"This affair is a double suicide. Each one voluntarily kills themselves. We write so if one of us should be unfortunate enough not to die that no charge of murder should be instituted against the other.

(Signed)

"CHARLES KOCH,

"MARIE DURAN."

to the room last night when Koch sent back the check for the supper with a request to cash it.

This morning, worrying about payment, the proprietor sent to the room to request a settlement.

The bell boy came back with word that he could get no response. Then Kniss (Gelmey), the elevator man, was sent out on the fire-escape to reconnoiter.

Peering through the window he saw the two dead bodies on the bed.

He jumped in, opened the door, which had been locked from the inside, and gave the alarm.

Policeman Monahan, of the East Twenty-second street precinct, found that both were dead. He looked through the pockets of the man's coat, but found nothing.

A BEAUTIFUL GIRL.

The woman was tall and well developed. She had jetblack hair and large brown eyes. She was strikingly handsome and dressed in the height of fashion.

Koch was above medium height, a German, well built and fine looking.

When they registered at the hotel, a week ago the woman signed the register in a refined hand. She gave their residence as California.

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Just in Time for the "Glorious Fourth."

Men's Blue Serge Suits at

\$10.00.

Here's a sale of Men's Suits that is of interest to every man who wants to enjoy his holiday.

Nothing cooler or more comfortable for these hot days than a Blue Serge Suit.

We have 1,200 of them on special sale at

\$10.00.